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SUBJECT: AMERICANS MISSING IN BAN ME THUOT

REF: (A) STATE 64034; (B) SAIGON 3154

1. NOTE WAS DELIVERED TO DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER SPASOWSKI ON MARCH 21. SPASOWSKI IMMEDIATELY CHECKED BY TELEPHONE WITH APPROPRIATE MFA OFFICES AND SAID THAT MFA HAD NO KNOWLEDGE OF MISSING AMERICANS OTHER THAN THAT CONTAINED IN WESTERN PRESS REPORTS. SPASOWSKI SAID THIS WAS A HUMAN PROBLEM AND THE MFA WOULD GET IN TOUCH WITH THE PRG GOVERNMENT TO SEEK INFORMATION ON THE WELFARE AND WHEREABOUTS OF THE MISSING AMERICANS. HE ADDED THAT THE MFA WOULD SEND A TELEGRAM TODAY TO ITS ICCS DELEGATION INSTRUCTING THEM TO COOPERATE IN EVERY WAY POSSIBLE IN SEEKING INFORMATION ON THE MISSING AMERICANS.

2. SPASOWSKI GAVE NO INDICATION THAT THE MFA HAD ALREADY HEARD FROM THE POLISH ICCS DELEGATION ON THIS SUBJECT AS REPORTED IN PARA 5 OF REF B. ON THE CONTRARY, HIS MANNER SUGGESTED THAT HE WAS HEARING OF THE MATTER FOR THE FIRST TIME.

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